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SUBJECT: PRESIDENT'S REPLY TO JULY FOURTH MESSAGE

1. PLEASE DELIVER THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO PRIME MINISTER STROUGAL. BEGIN TEXT: HIS EXCELLENCY, DR. LUBOMIR STROUGAL PRIME MINISTER, ACTING FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST REPUBLIC. DEAR MR. PRIME MINISTER: ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, PLEASE ALLOW ME TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE CONGRATULATING US ON OUR ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. SINCERELY, RICHARD NIXON. END TEXT.
 2. WHITE HOUSE DOES NOT PLAN TO RELEASE ABOVE MESSAGE BUT BUT HAS NO OBJECTION TO GOC'S DOING SO.
 3. FYI: PRESIDENT'S REPLY WAS IN RESPONSE TO FOLLOWING CZECHOSLOVAK MESSAGE WHICH WAS RECEIVED THROUGH COMMERCIAL CHANNELS. BEGIN TEXT: HIS EXCELLENCY RICHARD MILHOUSE NIXON, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WASHINGTON, D.C. PERMIT ME EXCELLENCY TO EXTEND TO YOU PERSONALLY THE SINCERE CONGRATULATIONS AND THROUGH YOUR WISHES OF SUCCESS AND PROSPERITY TO THE ENTIRE AMERICAN PEOPLE ON THE OCCASION OF THE 198TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. DR. LUBOMIR STROUGAL PRIME MINISTER,
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STATES OF AMERICA. DR. LUBOMIR STROUGAL PRIME MINISTER,

ACTING FOR THE PRESIDENT OF THE CZECHOSLOVAK SOCIALIST
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